



## What is the pledge? What does the pledge involve?

A graduation “rite of passage” in which graduating students in a computing field acknowledge their moral and ethical responsibilities as they enter the computing profession.

Students take The Pledge as a part of a public ceremony and receive a certificate and visible token to remind them of their responsibilities. Similar to the Order of the Engineer, there are no meetings, dues, or other responsibilities after the ceremony.

Membership is open to all students graduating in a computing related field at a member institution (Towson University).

## INFORMATION

**TO APPLY:**  
Go to the CIS website to fill out the form.

**APPLICATIONS  
DUE BY:**  
March 31

**INDUCTION  
CEREMONY:**  
Early May

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The Pledge of the Computing Professional**